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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Akihiro FUNAKOSHI et al.

Title:

A PREVENTIVE OR THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR

PANCREATITIS COMPRISING IL-6 ANTAGONIST AS AN

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT** 

Appl. No.:

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## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- [ ] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.
  - [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

<u>.</u>	Claims				Extra				
	As		Previously		Claims				Additional
	Amended		Paid For		Present		Rate		Claims Fee
Total Claims:	11	-	39	=	0	х	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	9	=	0	x	\$210.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation of	of any	y Multiple I	Depen	dent Claims:	+	\$370.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FEI	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[ ] Extension for response file	xtension for response filed within the first month: \$120.00			
[X] Extension for response file	ed within the second month:	\$460.00	\$460.00	
[ ] Extension for response file	tension for response filed within the third month:			
[ ] Extension for response file	ed within the fourth month:	\$1,640.00	\$0.00	
[ ] Extension for response file	onse filed within the fifth month: \$2,230.00		\$0.00	
	ON FEE TOTAL:	\$460.00		
[ ] Statutory Disclaimer Fee	under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$130.00	\$0.00	
CLAIMS, EX	XTENSION AND DISCLAIM	IER FEE TOTAL:	\$460.00	
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00	
Extension Fees Previously Paid: TOTAL FEE:				

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$460.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicants hereby petition for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorize payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date June 25,2008

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